

Visitor Center open daily from 8:30a-4p
Park Office open Mon-Fri from 8:30a-4p



Programs and Events July 2015



Visitor Center phone: (317) 591-0122
Park Office phone: (317) 591-0904

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Park Staff: Property Manager Brady Givens Asst. Manager Dustin Clark Office Manager Carolyn Runyan		Fort Harrison State Park	1 Nature Crafts for Kids 10a Nature Hike 2p	2 Nature Hike 3p Friends of Fort Harrison Meeting 7p	3 Hike the Harrison 10a Forge Fall Creek 2p	4 Independence Day Lawrence Fourth of July Parade 10a Roving Naturalist 2p
5 Nature Hike 10a Animal Feeding Time 1p Creek Stomp 2p	6 Creature Feature 10a Nature Crafts for Kids 2p		8 Nature Crafts for Kids 10a Nature Hike 2p	9 Hike the Harrison 10a Indiana Master Naturalist Class #7	10 Animal Adaptations 10a The Scoop on Poop 2p	11 Snake Talk 10a Roving Naturalist 2p
12 Merit Badge Sunday: Insect Study 10a-4p Creek Stomp 2p	13 Camptown Natural Wonders Day Camp	14 Camptown Natural Wonders Day Camp	15 Camptown Natural Wonders Day Camp	16 Camptown Natural Wonders Day Camp	17 Camptown Natural Wonders Day Camp	18 Roving Naturalist 2p Indianapolis Symphonic Band Concert 7:30p M20CW Korea Weekend
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Program Descriptions July 2015

Animal Adaptations: Meet at 10a in the Visitor Center to learn about the various adaptations animals have that allow them to survive and flourish in the Indiana landscape!

Animal Feeding Time: Meet at 1p in the Visitor Center to help the Interpretive Naturalists feed the animals on display that are found at Fort Harrison. Learn about what they eat and how often they eat it!

Bug Hunting: Meet at 2p in the Visitor Center to go on a hike to look for the bugs that live at Fort Harrison. Bring a net and wear long pants!

Creature Feature: Meet at 10a in the Visitor Center to learn about the critters that you can find at Fort Harrison State Park.

Creek Stomp: Meet at 2p at the Delaware Lake parking lot for a creek stomp on Fall Creek. Come dressed to get wet for this 1 hour activity designed for all ages.

Forge Fall Creek: Meet at 2p at the Delaware Lake parking lot for an easy, 1.5 hour hike along Fall Creek. Learn about the unique flora and fauna found in a forest.

Hike Old Fort Harrison: Meet at 2p at the Visitor Center to go on an easy, 1.5 hour hike in the Lawton Loop neighborhood of Old Fort Harrison.

Hike the Harrison: Meet at 10a at Delaware Lake for an easy, 1.5 hour hike on Harrison Trace. Bring binoculars and wear comfy shoes!

Join the Hoosier Quest: Meet at 10a in the Visitor Center to begin working on your Explorer Pin and Park Patches at Fort Harrison.

Leaf Printing: Meet at 2p in the Visitor Center to make leaf prints of the trees native to Indiana. Learn how to identify trees based on their leaf arrangement, shape, and texture!



Merit Badge Sunday: Merit badge classes are held from 10a-4p at the Visitor Center for Boy Scouts. **Pre-registration required.**

Nature Crafts for Kids: Meet in the Visitor Center for various nature crafts! **\$2 craft fee will apply and can be paid at the park office.**

Nature Hikes: Nature hikes meet at the park Visitor Center. These are easy, 1 hour hikes on the Tree ID Trail in Millenium Grove or along the wetland on Schoen Creek Trail.

Prairie Rumble: Meet at 2p in the Visitor Center for a 1 hour hike in the prairies at Fort Harrison. Learn about the flora and fauna unique to a prairie. Wear long pants and bring binoculars!

Roving Naturalists: Find the Interpretive Naturalists along Harrison Trace or Fall Creek Trail to ask any questions you may have about Fort Harrison or learn about the critter they have that day.

Scavenger Hunt: Meet at 10a in the Visitor Center for a fun, interactive scavenger hunt to learn about the cultural and natural history of Fort Harrison.

Scoop on Poop: Meet at 2p in the Visitor Center to learn about the different types of scat animals leave behind in the park! Learn how to identify animals based on the scat you find!

Snake Talks: Meet at 10a in the Visitor Center to learn about these misunderstood animals found at Fort Harrison. Live animals will be present during this program.

Survival Skills: Meet at 2p at the Visitor Center to learn the basic skills of survival in the wild!

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